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Sir:

Applicant(s) hereby respectfully request consideration and entry of the Information Disclosure Statement filed contemporaneously herewith. The reference cited in the Information Disclosure Statement was found by one the inventors of the instant application on August 23, 2004. The certification under Rule 97(e)(1) is filed herewith, as well as a check in the amount of \$180.00, pursuant to Rule 17(i)(1).

**Consideration and entry of the attached Information Disclosure**

**Statement is respectfully requested.**

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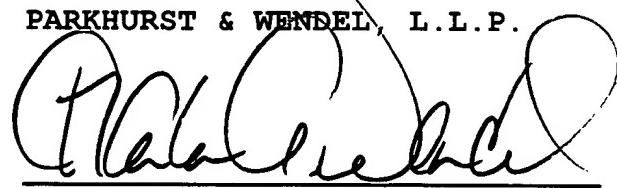
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